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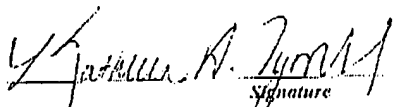
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Dear Sir:

Reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.111

This is a reply to the Office Action mailed March 13, 2003
setting a three (3) month statutory period for response. A
Petition for a two (2) month extension of time and requisite fee
are provided herewith. Please enter the following remarks and
amendments into the record.